## **REMARKS**

Three changes have been made to the specification. On page 18, the last name of the lead inventor on U.S. patent application 09/561,086 has been corrected from "Monickam" to "Manickam". Also, "ISI interference" on page 18 has been changed to "ISI" since the second I" in "ISI" means interference. On page 20, the filing date of U.S. patent application 09/151,525 has been corrected from "July 11, 1998" to "September 11, 1998".

Three changes have been made to the claims. In the last subparagraph of Claim 36, "furnished" has been corrected to "furnishes". In Claim 45, "adaptably" has been changed to "adaptively" to conform with the terminology used in the specification. In the next-to-last subparagraph of Claim 78, a missing comma has been inserted before "if the parity signal".

The parenthetical word "New" was inadvertently omitted after the claim number in Claims 36 - 95 as they were first presented in the text amendment submitted 15 September 2003. This formatting error has been obviated by utilizing the appropriate parenthetical language after the claim numbers in Claims 36 - 95 as they are presented above.

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